

Dear Vickie and Jimmy,

We have a tape guest about ready to send to you, so I will first write a note now. It is only 6:30 in the morning and raining. Aunt Stella and I are going to Exumelau today to see an old friend of the family and then we plan to drive up to the cabin to look around. One of the letters I mailed to you in July was returned yesterday so maybe London will send the other ones back.

The paper told about the high prices in London and it is just unbelievable. It said a goose, a traditional Christmas food, will cost \$60.00.

It was great having Mary and Diane here after the election for four days. Mary definitely plans to move into the Merce Island house and they might move back here in time for Christmas. I don't see how they can get moved by then but maybe. I am sure you are excited about

going to Wash. D.C. the first of Jan. It
would be nice if Mary would still be
there and maybe she will be.

Your tape came last week and we
love it. It was nice hearing from you
also, Debbie.

I will stop for now and have another
cup of coffee.

Love,
Mom
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